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Railroad Magnate Asserts that It Has Been Through Him the Former Governor Has Obtained Political Influence.

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The next interview was held on day, you say? A. Yes, sir, but we were some things—
(Interrupting) At Mr. Ryan's of- A. Yes, but things preceded in the income of the in

## Ryan Thanked Him.

it yes.

When did you next have any munication with him? A about or fifteen minutes after that. At invitation I went to his office.

The same day? A Yes, sir, firminutes afterward.

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Society. That is not what you agreed to." I said: "What you agreed to." I said: "What you do that if you were not satisfied with the purity of his intentions? A. I had told him that I would think it over, and on my way to he office I concluded that the man he ad named would be a proper man, and that it was proper for me to notify the arties who were opposed that if I were at heir places to vote for Morton, and did tell them.

Q. You understood that the election of Mr. Morton would fulfil the contition described by Mr. Ryan, and that it. Hyan would take the Hyde stock?

A. Yes, and also that If Mr. Morton wore chairman of the board and would finally be arrived at.

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IN LEASH OF THE MASTER-By Tom McGill.



A. That was on Monday afternoon.

Q. Yes, and who were present? A. Mr.

Cravath and Mr. Root. I think that Mr.

Root was not there all the time; but he was concerned that it should not not may own account—that hearing what they had to say, I was increased in the general situation at the reactment I had received, and it led me to further doubt the sincerity of Mr. Ryan's purpose; and I opened. I think, with a remark something like this:

"You want my co-operation?" He said "Yes." I said, "Well, I will take half of your stock. I don't the propose? A lithought there was a probability of that, yes, sir.

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Q. That was your influence would the left of the would day.

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A. Yes, sir.

Q. Well, you were not at that time interested in the Equitable in any way? A. I had been instrumental in trying to straighten out the tangled affairs of the Equitable and in protecting it against demands on the part of one faction to obtain control of it over another, and had been instrumental in bringing about the Frick report. I had no interest, except that of one who had been invested into getting himself into a faise position.

Q. Did you share in any apprehension that if the stock was not taken out of Mr. Hyde's hands there might be a panie? No, sir; there was no possibility of a panie.

there was no possibility of a panic. There was nobody except Mr. Ryan who had that in view, and I doubt

in the papers.

Q. Did he outline to you his plan of stripping himself of all control over the stock? A. I don't remember that he stock? A. I don't remember that he did at that time.

Q. You were acquainted with the plan as announced in the papers? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And knew the trustees who had been requested by him to act; you had seen their names? A. I had seen their names of the stock.

Q. Under bose circumstances, why did you went or suggest the participation in the purchase? A. In order that there might be two additional trustees who would be independent of him.

Q. Those two trustees would have been in the minority? A. Well, a good healthy minority is a good thing to own.

Q. Did you tell him that you had given so much time to Equitable maters that you could not permit anybody to come into the situation and control the stock without your consent? A. I doubt whether I ever said that.

Q. But you are not in a position where you care to make a senting of that kind.

Q. The point then as I understand it is that you do not wish to have weight you said interpreted as a demand for the stock. It was a demand that he satisfy me that his first assertion and countrol was a come of the stock. It was a demand for the stock. It was a demand that he satisfy me that his first assertion and countrol was a come of the stock. It was a demand for the

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